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MILLERSBURG GROWERS PLEDGE TO CO-OPERATIVE PLAN

An enthusiastic meeting of tobacco growers of the Millersburg vicinity was held in that city Tuesday afternoon, the meeting being in the nature of a preliminary to the opening of the campaign for membership and signatures to the Co-operative Burley Tobacco Marketing Association contracts, which was inaugurated in the county yesterday.

The meeting was attended by a large delegation of representative tobacco growers and others interested in the future of the tobacco industry in this county, and the greatest interest was manifested in the proceedings. James C. Stone, of Louisville, secretary of the parent organization, was present and in a forcible and convincing speech, told of the aims and objects sought to be accomplished by the Association looking toward the bettering of the tobacco market for the farmers and growers of the weed in this county. J. N. Kehoe, of Maysville, also a member of the organization committee of the State body, spoke at length along the same lines, and created a distinctly good impression.

At the conclusion of the address a call was made for signatures to the co-operative marketing plan contracts. The response was at once spontaneous and hearty, a total of 364,000 pounds being signed. This, with 777,260 pounds already pledged in the county brings the total to date to 1,141,260 pounds. The following is a list of those who affixed their signatures to contracts at this meeting:

T. A. Collier,
J. E. Vermillion,
C. T. Hillock,
H. R. Earlywine,
Ashby Leer,
Julia Purdy,
H. H. Dalzell,
Arthur Moreland,
J. W. Johnson,
A. T. Moffett,
Burroughs Bros.,
Alex. Miller,
E. P. Wagoner,
W. D. McIntyre,
H. S. Caywood,
Frank Caldwell,
W. M. Blake,
W. E. Revell,
H. M. Roseberry,
J. T. Jefferson,
Walter Kenney.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS—LIST YOUR PROPERTY NOW

WE ARE NOW READY TO TAKE YOUR TAX LIST AT OUT OFFICE IN THE COURT HOUSE. DON'T PUT OFF THIS IMPORTANT MATTER. COME IN TO-DAY. A PENALTY WILL BE ATTACHED LATER.

MRS. WALTER CLARK,
TAX COMMISSIONER.
(12-1f) John J. Redmon, Deputy.

BOURBON BOOSTERS MAKE TOUR OF COUNTY

"Cook's personally - conducted tours" had nothing whatever on the trip of the Bourbon Boosters, made through the county Tuesday, either in point of attendance, personnel of the party, or in the points of interest visited by the enthusiastic delegation. Though devised as a trade-bringing movement for the merchants of Paris, the tour really partook of an old-time "get-acquainted-with-your-neighbors" flavor, and resulted in cementing more firmly the ties of friendship and county loyalty between the people of Paris and the rest of the county. It was more like a family reunion than a business venture.

The Boosters, with their wives, mothers, sisters and sweethearts, assembled at the court house at eight o'clock. A band concert by the City Band of twenty-five pieces, featured the starting of the motorcade, which formed in line of march in front of the court house, and made a triumphant tour of Main street to Twelfth and return. The Boosters wore red-and-white paper caps and large buttons, bearing the words, "Bourbon Boosters." They were plentifully supplied with advertising matter and souvenirs, which were distributed in the city and at each stop made in the county. Slightly behind the scheduled hour the motorcade left Paris, in a magnificent sweep of motor cars and trucks, and with the music of the band and the cheering of the Boosters filling the air. The comedy feature of the trip was provided by Dr. J. W. Kiff, in a clever Yiddish make-up, who featured each stop with a comic turn, very pleasing and acceptable to the spectators.

The first stop was made at Shawhan, where a large crowd of representative citizens of the community had gathered to welcome the invaders. After selections by the City Band and a solo by Percy Reid, a short address was delivered by Thos. W. Spicer, in which he extended the good wishes of the people of Paris, and urged a continuance of pleasant trade relations with the county seat. From Shawhan the party proceeded to Ruddles Mills, where the ovation at Shawhan was duplicated. Wm. O. Hinton was the speaker at this stop, his talk being a practical one bearing on trade relations that should be maintained between all sections of the county and the home town. Concert by the band and a solo by Mr. Reid kept the crowd in fine humor. Here the Boosters were met by a committee of representative citizens from Millersburg, who extended a welcome from the citizens of the city to the visitors.

At Millersburg the Boosters received one of the most enthusiastic receptions of the day. The city was theirs for the time being. Following the musical program by the City Band and Mr. Reid an address of welcome was delivered by W. D. McIntyre, who introduced Virgil Chapman, of Paris. Mr. Chapman delivered a splendid talk along the lines sought to be achieved by the Boosters in promoting closer trade relations with the city of Paris. Refreshments were served to the visitors, who attested their appreciation by doing full justice.

From Millersburg the motorcade traveled to North Middletown, "the garden-spot of hospitality," where their reception partook of all the old-time courtesy and genuine heartiness that marks everything the people of that section do. There was a large assemblage and an air of "glad-to-see-you" seemed to permeate the air. Lemonade, orangeade and other thirst-satisfying delicacies were served at North Middletown Deposit Bank to the tired and thirsty Boosters, who spared nothing in the way of getting away with them. Addresses of welcome were delivered by Rev. F. M. Tindler, pastor of the North Middletown Christian church, and Henry S. Caywood. A substantial dinner was served in the big Chautauqua tent, the menu comprising fried chicken, old country ham, dressed eggs, beaten biscuit, rolls, potato chips, cheese balls, pickles, coffee, ice cream and sherbet, with cigars following. Addresses were delivered by Henry S. Caywood and John W. Jones, on behalf of the citizens of North Middletown and vicinity, and by Judge Denis Dundon and Henry A. Power, for the Boosters and the people of Paris. It was a genuine love-feast at North Middletown, and everyone was glad to have been there.

Leaving North Middletown the motorcade journeyed by easy stages to Clintonville, where an address was delivered to the assemblage of citizens by Wade H. Whitley. Musical programs were rendered, and after an exchange of hearty good wishes and mutual pledges of business support the Boosters proceeded to Hutchison, where an address by E. H. Gorey and a musical program, featured the proceedings. From Hutchison the party returned to Paris, tired, dusty, but happy. After a musical program on the court house plaza by the City

DAMAGE SUITS SETTLED OUT OF COURT.

Suits growing out of an accident on the Louisville & Nashville railroad last March, in which one Paris man was killed and two others injured, have been settled out of court through an understanding between attorneys for the railroad and the injured parties.

In March a large motor truck belonging to Martin Bros., of Paris, had taken a load of tobacco to the Lexington markets, and was on its return trip to Paris with a load of furniture. The truck was driven by William Bowe, of Paris, and riding on it were Thomas Napier, of Paris, and Ossie Gravitt, of the county. While crossing the railroad track at Montrose station, near the Bourbon and Fayette county line, a passenger train struck the truck, carrying it a considerable distance down the track and demolishing it. Napier was killed instantly, Bowe had a leg broken, and Gravitt was bruised and cut.

The suits were settled by Napier's administrator receiving \$7,500, Bowe \$7,500, and Martin Bros. \$2,500 damages for the truck, which was wrecked in the accident.

FOR SHERIFF R. ED. BEDFORD

A VOTE FOR R. ED. BEDFORD FOR SHERIFF IS A VOTE FOR FRED LINK AND D. E. CLARK.

CARPENTERS' UNION ELECTS NEW OFFICERS.

At a recent meeting of the Bourbon county branch of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, the following officers were chosen for the term beginning July 1:

James T. Hill, president; James McNamara, Sr., vice-president; Thomas Boyle, financial secretary; Sam Kennedy, recording secretary; Horace Nelson, treasurer.

The union fixed the following scale of prices for the next six months: Minimum scale, sixty cents per hour; maximum scale, seventy-five cents per hour.

VOTE FOR BEN WOODFORD FOR TAX COMMISSIONER

IT HAS BEEN IMPOSSIBLE FOR ME TO SEE EACH VOTER. PERSONALLY, SO I AM TAKING THIS METHOD OF LETTING YOU KNOW I AM IN THE RACE TO WIN, AND YOUR VOTE WILL BE HIGHLY APPRECIATED.

VOTE FOR BEN WOODFORD FOR TAX COMMISSIONER AND MRS. WALTER CLARK, DEPUTY.

(1d) MRS. WALTER CLARK.

SUSTAINS PARALYTIC STROKE

Mrs. Mollie Morris, aged mother of Thos. G. Morris, of Paris, and Dan Morris, of Lexington, is in a critical condition at her home on Pleasant street, as the result of a stroke of paralysis she suffered. Her entire right side is affected. She was reported yesterday as having regained consciousness, and was able to recognize those at her bedside.

FOR MAYOR.

JOHN MERRINGER
A VOTE FOR HIM WILL MEAN A VOTE FOR YOUR INTERESTS AND THE CITY'S INTEREST.

Band and Percy Reid, the party disbanded.

The promoters were greatly pleased with the success of this initial venture in "boosting" Paris and its business enterprises, and with the enthusiastic reception they were given at all points along the line. In all about eighty decorated automobiles, carrying about 225 people, participated in the day's success. THE BOURBON NEWS gave away about five hundred copies of Tuesday's issue on the trip and received a large number of voluntary subscriptions. In all, the big day was a big success.

The success of the trip may be ascribed in part to the hearty efforts of the following business men, who directed the work of the committees: Rudolph Davis, Clyde Huffman, M. E. Guttman, Lawrence Price, and Barnett Winters, and R. C. Ruggles, of the Ruggles Motor Co., who donated the use of his cars for three days and who gave his services for the same length of time in acting as "pathfinder" for the motorcade.

The splendid work of the Paris City Band in the musical program rendered at the various stops was the subject of favorable comment all along the line. The band is in the early stages of development, in a musical sense, but is making good, with prospects of becoming a valuable and permanent institution, one Paris will gladly and willingly encourage and support.

The Booster trip was conceived and planned originally by Secretary Wm. E. Hacker, of the Paris Commercial Club, and to him must go the lion's share of the credit for its success. The details of the trip worked out along the lines planned by Mr. Hacker justified his faith in the ability of the committees, chairmen and helpers to make the trip a success, as it most assuredly was in every respect.

BURLEY MARKETING CAMPAIGN COMES TO CLOSE

Two full days of intensive campaigning by the soliciting committees of the Bourbon county branch of the Co-operative Burley Tobacco Marketing Association brought with them realization that the farmers and tobacco growers of the county are almost unanimously in favor of the plan, as evidenced by the large list of those who have signed the contracts. The campaign was waged personally with the tobacco growers and tenants, by teams of workers in every precinct in the county, who were under supervision of a chairman, selected for his ability and knowledge of the situation and the people whom he was to handle.

The Committeemen and all who are interested in the movements are the success of the two-days' campaign, and from the seed thus sown, hope to reap still greater results in the future. They predict 85 per cent of the county will be signed up. That the Sapiro plan, which is the foundation stone of the Association's structure, will be a great help to the growers in securing better returns and better markets for their tobacco, is the belief of all who have taken the pledge and signed contracts, and they will not rest content until every tenant and grower of tobacco in the county has become a member of the Association.

The signatures secured to date represent 1,374 acres, or a total of 1,494,556 pounds of tobacco to be marketed.

The following new names to contracts were secured Wednesday and yesterday by the committees in charge of the campaign:

J. J. Haggard,
J. D. White,
James Elliott,
C. M. Plummer,
J. B. Ellis,
James Sadler,
B. W. Wilson,
Guy Bills,
J. G. Rogers,
H. M. Roseberry,
Jas. H. January,
W. H. Whitley,
T. M. Buckner,
Wm. Ryan,
Charles Stewart,
James Clay,
Tollie Young,
Conner Fletcher,
S. P. Harding,
Silas Mattox,
J. C. Kenney,
Roscoe Carmichael,
Moore Brothers,
Allen Gaines,
Clarence Burden,
Wilburn Mattox,
V. H. Gaitskill,
W. P. Wornall,
Jas. L. Robinson,
Esse Henry,
Claude White,
Will White,

John A. Gilkey,
Charlie Robinson,
Floyd Mattox,
Clarence T. Mingua,
James B. Woodford,
Frank Collins,
E. F. Pritchard,
W. W. Kenney,
J. W. Markburn,
Wiley Bradburn,
John M. Williams,
Horton Brothers,
Rube Letton,
James Laughlin,
J. B. Ryan & McCord,
Thomas H. Butler,
Clifford Carter,
Emmett Crump,
Carl Hughes,
Tom Drennan,
T. J. Redmon,
Wm. Carmichael,
J. E. Stone & Son,
C. T. Whaley,
Grover Layton,
John Willoughby,
Beverly Willis,
R. B. Tate,
Thomas Mitchell,
Jesse Booth,
Henry Judy,
John Toohy,
Toohy Bros.,
Hugh Ferguson,
W. K. Ferguson,
Dudley Blake,
Julian Frank,
John Cameron & Son,
A. P. Thomason,
John A. Smith,
J. B. Crump,
M. T. Crump,
James B. Duncan,
W. W. Berry,
E. C. Boots,
Geo. Sanders,
Harry Long & Son,
Kiser Harney,
John S. Berry,
D. A. Griggs,
Jos. M. Hall.

VOTE FOR JO. B. SMITH FOR TAX COMMISSIONER IS A VOTE FOR FRANK COLLINS, AS DEPUTY.

BIDS FOR SCHOOL HOUSE.

Bids for the erection of a new school building at Hutchison for the colored school children of that precinct, are being received at the office of County School Superintendent J. B. Caywood, in the court house.

CEMENT!

HAVE JUST UNLOADED FRESH CAR CEMENT.
(22apl-1f) CHAS. S. BRENT & BRO.

PARIS TO HAVE PIGGLY-WIGGLY STORE

Representatives of the Piggly-Wiggly Stores, a corporation owning and operating a chain of stores through Kentucky, were in Paris recently, and closed negotiations with the J. T. Hinton estate for a twenty-year lease on the two story business house on Main street, recently occupied by the Friedman store.

The entire lower floor will be remodeled and arranged to purposes of the new lessees, new show windows put in place of the present ones, and a general overhauling given to bring the building up to date. The lessees expect to occupy the building about September 1, with a complete new up-to-date stock such as is carried by the larger mercantile firms of the country. The Piggly-Wiggly people are up-to-date, hustling merchants, and will begin an active campaign for business as soon as the new store is ready for occupancy.

FOR SHERIFF R. ED. BEDFORD

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GARTH FUND COMMISSIONERS

Emmett M. Dickson, Alex. Miller and Clarence K. Thomas, Commissioners of the Garth Fund, will meet the old beneficiaries of the Fund at the court house in this city, next Tuesday morning, July 26, at nine o'clock.

The present students must come with accounts properly made out, and with vouchers for all expenditures of money received from the Fund, as well as reports of their class standing.

The Commissioners will meet new applicants at the court house on Wednesday morning, July 27, at nine o'clock. New applicants must present reports and recommendations from their last teachers and a statement of their financial condition and moral worth from two or three citizens.

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TO THE WOMEN VOTERS OF BOURBON COUNTY

The office of County Clerk is the most important one to be filled at the coming primary election. Every voter in Bourbon county should feel proud of the fact that we have had such an efficient Clerk in the past, and that the office is now the best kept in the State. Every record is in its place in our Clerk's office, and we have pointed with pride to the fact that we had the best Clerk, the nearest set of books, the most systematic way of filing valuable papers and keeping the business of the office right up to the minute.

The people of Bourbon county cannot afford to allow Pearce Paton to be defeated at this time. We cannot let our sympathies or prejudices overcome our better judgment when casting a vote for such an important position as that of Clerk of the County Court.

We women have had little experience in politics, and some of us may, without giving sufficient thought to the matter, go to the polls and vote, without first considering the important duties that are intrusted to the care of the Clerk of the Bourbon County Court. Let us go to the polls on the sixth day of August and cast our vote for Pearce Paton, a man we know has in the past, and can again in the future, fill the office with credit to himself and the people of the county.

A WOMAN VOTER.

VOTE FOR PEARCE PATON.

VOTE FOR A WINNER

VOTE FOR JOHN J. REDMON FOR TAX COMMISSIONER. (19-5f)

STEAL BLUEGRASS SEED

Patrolman Robert Lusk arrested three colored men named Wm. Mitchell, Earl Brown and Allie Brown, on a charge of grand larceny and placed them in jail. It was alleged the men had taken a large quantity of bluegrass seed belonging to Isaac Haley, of near Clintonville, and disposed of it to a local commission house.

The men were brought before County Judge George Batterton, Wednesday, and given a hearing. They entered a plea of not guilty, and their examining trial was set for to-day. In default of \$300 bail each, they were committed to the care of Jailor Thomas Taul.

FOR RE-ELECTION

VOTE FOR E. B. JANUARY FOR MAYOR OF PARIS.

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